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Title:

COOLING APPARATUS BOILING AND CONDENSING

REFRIGERANT WITH LOW HEIGHT AND EASILY ASSEMBLED

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed <u>January 29, 2007, Paper No./Mail Date 20070121</u>, please consider the following.

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

The Examiner has required an election of species pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following patentably distinct species: